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- The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/15/2004
- English Translation of the IA filed on 12/15/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/15/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 12/15/2004
- Oath or Declaration filed on 12/15/2004
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 12/15/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/15/2004
- Assignment filed on 12/15/2004

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- Additional claim fees of \$180 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

#### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fees required for this application is \$180 for a Small Entity:

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 180
  - \$180 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE**

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